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	2,926,729	03/01/1960	Zanini	160	236	09/25/1956	
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
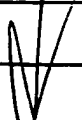
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	3,216,068	11/09/1965	Williams	20	69	03/30/1961
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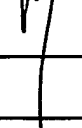
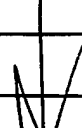

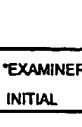
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	3,780,154	12/18/1973	Muller et al.	264	176 R	06/15/1971
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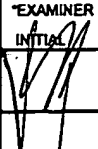
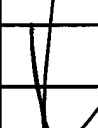
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	3,922,128	11/25/1975	Solomon	425	113	11/11/1971
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	4,481,701	11/13/1984	Hewitt	29	416	09/15/1983
	4,515,737	05/07/1985	Karino et al.	264	22	11/23/1983
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	4,807,686	02/28/1989	Schnebly et al.	160	84.1	02/25/1987
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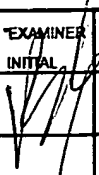
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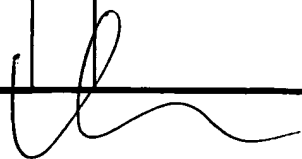
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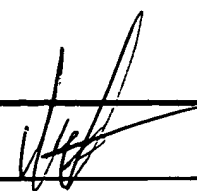
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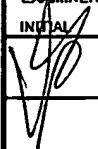

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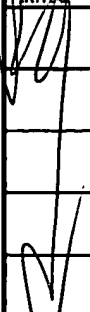
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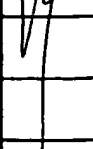
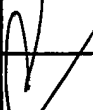
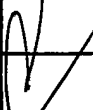
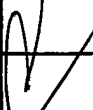
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	5,738,814	04/14/1998	Kreth et al.	264	171.26	10/28/1994
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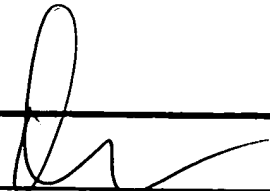
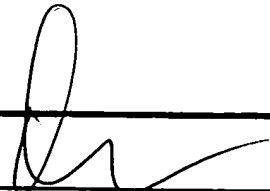
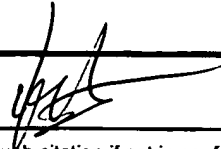
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